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1. Two Communist schools for indoctrination and education of functionaries, one in Tinz (X06) and the other in Gamburg/Saale (J77) near Naumburg, were turned over to the SED in June 1946, and are now being used for SED indoctrination. The training is given in two six-week courses to men only. These students have been selected by Communist factory cells.

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2. [redacted] also reports that on 22 June 1946 a transport of 120 men (no women) went from Weimar to Moscow by special train. The men were mostly between 28 and 40 years of age and were supposed to take a three-month indoctrination course in Moscow. They were selected throughout Thuringia and Saxony from SED ranks. The names of the selectees were then submitted to the Political Supervision officers of the SMA, whose approval was required in every case. The wife of any married man in the group was to receive the full salary of the husband during his absence.

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3. [redacted] reporting on the period 20-30 July 1946, states that the main training courses for Communist functionaries are now given in Bad Liebenstein (H85). Presumably German functionaries are no longer being sent to Russia to take indoctrination courses there, and the courses are now given in the Soviet Zone by Russian instructors.
4. The following names of instructors and topics of their discussions are taken from an official report of classes held on 10 August 1946 in the FDJ School for the Province of Saxony, located in Haus Eisenhof, Döben/Mulde (E34):

Elchlepp: Spoke on previous day

Hanzlicek, Director of the School: Historical Materialism

Major M. Dragin: Culture of the Soviet Union

H. G. Hetzer: Discussion of Major Dragin's speech

5. The following names and topics of discussion are taken from an official announcement of the program suggested for a meeting of the Central Committee of the FDJ to be held 21-22 September 1946. The meeting was to be held in the FDJ's Youth High School (Jugendhochschule) in Walhof on the Bogensee.

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Erich Honecker: Youth in the Struggle to Maintain the Unity of Germany

Manfred Klein: Cultural Work of the FDJ

Hermann Axen: The Way of the FDJ to the Organization of the Younger Generation

Ernst Müller: Present Tasks of the FDJ in the Economic Field

Rudolf Böhme: The Right to Education

Doc. 6. The following names of instructors and topics of discussion are taken from an official announcement of the schedule of vacation courses for auxiliary science teachers, which were to be held in Halle/S from 12 to 30 August 1946.

Ob. Stud. Dir. Dr. Hanf: Pedagogy

Stud. Rat Dr. Hecht: Political Schooling

Prof. Dr. Hinsche: Psychology

Stud. R. Brühner: Public Speaking (students of Germanics not included),
Musical Training, Poetry Readings

Prof. Dr. von Hollander: (opening address)

O.R.R. Dr. Grönda: The Einheitsschule

Dr. Messerschmidt: Atomic Energy

Stud. Rat Braun: Gymnastics in the School

Prof. Dr. Callwitz: Geology in the School

Dr. Hunger: The Geiseltal Museum

O.R.R. Heinemann: Forms and Significance of the new Training for Teachers

Dir. Otto: The State Museum for Pre-History

Prof. Dr. Schmidt: Biology Excursion

Major Dragin (SMA): Schools and Cultural Questions in the Soviet Union

Prof. Wittsack: Speech Training

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